

Proclamation Presented to

Parents And Children Together

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together is one of Hawai'i's largest family-service organizations, with 16 programs serving the State; and

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together promotes the good health of individuals, families, and communities by creating opportunities for them to identify and address their own strengths, needs, and concerns, thus realizing their own true potential; and

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together provides services in early education, mental health, child abuse, domestic violence prevention and treatment, and community and economic development; and

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together with the supportive help of the Lieutenant Governor and I will join with local celebrities and volunteers to sell a special edition of the Honolulu Star Advertiser, in support of Parents And Children Together's Keiki Day; and

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together's special edition newspaper will feature student winners of the "Keiki Day Creativity Contest" and include parent-child information, tips for parents and teachers, and interactive materials for children; and

WHEREAS, Parents And Children Together is expecting 1,000 volunteers to participate in this remarkable event;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and **I, BRIAN SCHATZ**, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim May 4, 2011, as

"PARENTS AND CHILDREN TOGETHER KEIKI DAY"

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to support PACT's vision of having a peaceful and safe community, living as an ohana, and helping our citizens realize their dreams and full potential.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this twenty-eighth day of April, 2011.

NEIL ABERCROMBIE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

RDIAN SCHATZ

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i